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PLATE GLASS COMPANY TO START ONE FURNACE

One Hundred Men to Be Given Work at Local Plant

STOCK IN MUCH DEMAND

Material for Carrara Department Used Up More Must Be Manufactured

Definite information was given out Monday by A. H. Chandler, former superintendent of the Pittsburg Plate Glass factory here who was a visitor to town that a furnace of the local plant will be started within two or three weeks. The purpose will be to supply the Carrara department which has been running steadily with material. Mr. Chandler is now the superintendent of the Pittsburg Plate Glass company's plant at Ford City. When the additional furnace is put into use in the neighborhood of one hundred men will be needed. No other stock will be made except for use in the Carrara department.

Last summer when the plate glass plant closed down there was a sufficient quantity of stock on hand to last in the Carrara department for some months. The supply has become exhausted and it is necessary to manufacture more. The local Carrara department is the only one owned at any of their factories by the Pittsburg Plate Glass company and this is kept that part of the Charleroi plant in operation.

Nothing denite has been learned of negotiations between the Pittsburg Plate Glass company and the Pittsburg Plate Glass company for the local factory known as the Charleroi plant. Pittsburg Steel officials have reached the "inquiry" stage and something more definite may develop. The steel company already owns land near Gibson-ton which they could use. The Charleroi site would doubtless prove more convenient if the cost is not too great.

EVANGELIST DOES NOT MINCE WORDS IN HIS SERMONS

Rev. E. Burrows, the evangelist holding a series of meetings at the Methodist Episcopal church did not mince matters in speaking to any of his three congregations Sunday, and the result is a deeper interest than has been known heretofore and a greater manifestation on the part of his hearers and changed lives. In the morning Rev. Burrows spoke on: "Proving Christ." In the afternoon he spoke to children on the subject of "The Shrewd Detective." At this service taking off his coat in the warmth of his argument, went after the devil and his imitates rough shod. His sermon was effective, although heard by only a small audience At the evening service Rev. Burrows spoke on "The Door Knocker." He conducted a children's service this morning. Much interest is being planned for this week.

Wednesday Night Dancing Club.

Meets every Wednesday night at Moose of Charleroi Hall. Dancing 8:30. Music by Nassokoff Brothers of Pittsburg. Invitation affair.90-t3

Ready for Inspection

Charleroi Lumber Company Completes Work on New Station

The Charleroi Lumber company, contractor to build the new Pennsylvania railroad station here about finished up the interior work of the station Saturday Practically all that remains to be done inside is the placing of seats and the hanging of lights This shouldn't take more than a few days, after which the station will be ready for the inspection of the main officials of the railroads The Lumber company is now working on a road way to run from Fifth street and from McKean avenue into the station. This roadway will be made of brick. It will not be long after the inspection is made and the station taken off the hands of the contractors, until it is put into general use There will not be any formal dedication as first planned, the railroad officials preferring not to have and dedicatory functions.

OLD HURT IS CAUSE OF DEATH

Mine Foreman Welden Crushed in Mine Some Years Ago

DIES AT FINLEYVILLE

Severely crushed in a mine accident some years ago, injuries sustained then resulted in the death Sunday morning of J. R. Welden, mine forman at Arnold No. 1 mine at Fayette City. At the time of his death he was at the home of his mother in Finleyville. Mr. Welden apparentlly recovered from his injuries received in the mine accident, although at the time he was hurt his life was despaired of. He returned to work as mine foreman. About three months ago his injuries again began to cause his discomfort and he was finally forced to quit work. Death followed closely. Mr. Weldon was married but had no children. The fueral will be hed at St. Francis church in Finleyville Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will take place in the Finleyville cemetery. Members of Division No. 2 Ancient Order of Hibernians of Chareroi, of which the deceased was a member are requested to attend.

French Chefs Outdone.

Turkey prepared in the latest approved style as well as by the old fashioned method at the turkey dinner and supper of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian Church Nov. 16. 91-t3

ATTITUDE OF VARIOUS INTERESTS DISCUSSED

Newspaper Men View Matters Pertaining to Trade Impartially---Donora Editors Are Hosts

Among other matters of importance the attitude of various interests toward newspaper was discussed at a meeting of the Monongahela Valley Press Asociation held at Donora Saturday evening. Messrs R. E. Koehler, Will Watson and C. E. Lewis, of the Donora American were the hosts and a sumptuous supper was served at the Hotel Lawrence with a business session following.

The meeting of the editors was the first one held since last spring and it was the occasion for the exchange of experiences and the discussion of matters pertaining to the fraternity. There were 21 present

With President R. T. Wiley of the Elizabeth Herald in the chair, and J. Mac Colvin as secretary, business was taken up. The first question brought up was that of the attitude of the hotels, churches, fraternal societies and politicians toward the newspapers. Discussions showed that various interests were out for all they could get in the way of free advertising, free notices and favorable consideration, without much regard for reciprocity when oppartunity offered. Two committees were appointed to look into some important matters and report.

The next meeting will be held in Charleroi, the association accepting an invitation to come here. The election of officers will take place on this date.

PROSPERITY SHOWN BY BANK STATEMENT

Bank of Charleroi Ends Most Successful Banking Year in Its History—Well Up Among State Institutions

One of the best showings made by any of the State banking institutions in the whole Commonwealth, which have just published their statements in response to a call from the State Commissioner of Banking, is that of the Bank of Charleroi, which appears elsewhere in this issue. The total resources of this bank are $1,564,973.29. Its captital stock is $75,000 on which it has an earned surplus fund og $212,500, with undivided profits of $23,036.26. Its deposits at the close of business on November 6, when the call for the statement was made, were $1,254,431.03 with loans and investments of $1,348,800.21.

One of the remarkable features of the showing is the big gain in deposits. On May 2, 1910, the deposits were $1,068,385.75, showing a gain between then and November 6 of this year of $186,045.28. On November 9, 1910, the deposits were $1,108,091.53, showing an increase of $146,339.50 between than and November 6. On April 29 of this year the deposits were $1,175,329.19 the increase being in a trifle over six months $79,-101.84.

The officers of the Bank of Charleroi are T. L. Daly, president; John C. McKean, vice president; Kerfoot W. Daly, cashier; C. S. McKean, assistant cashier; W. I.Berryman, solicitor; T. R. Eagye, teller; Ewing B. Todd, individual bookkeeper; Miss Emma A. Dinsmore, general bookkeeper. The directors are Thomas L. Daly, C. F. Thompson, Cary Piper, W. W. Jimeson, J. C. McKean, H. J. Steel, A. W. Mellon, W. I. Berryman, J. J. Hott, T. P. Grant, T. R. Duvall

NOR'WESTER BRINGS DOWN THE MERCURY

Record Breaking Weather Experienced Today--Sudden Change Effected by Arrival of Cold Wave

Laden on the wings of a stiff, penetrating nor'wester the coldest spell of the season arrived Sunday. From a summer-like temperature of 67 or 70 degrees in the morning the mercury dropped to between 15 and 19 degrees Sunday night and went as far down as 10 degrees this morning. Sunday morning Charleroi families ate breakfast with the doors open; Sunday afternoon and evening they had their furnaces and fires raging and still shivered.

Rain which fell with uninterrupted vigor during the morning about noon changed to a regular blizzard of a snow storm. This lasted for a part of the afternoon the mercury dropping all the while. The cold wind which swept through the streets as though along a bleak hillside prevented people from being on the streets.

This kind of weather comes near breaking the record. It is seldom that there is a temperature of 12 degrees attained so early as November 13. For this climate 12 degrees is much below the average cold weather temperature.

PARTY HELD IN HONOR OF GIRL'S BIRTHDAY

Miss Eleanor Bake was tendered an agreeable surprise in honor of her ninth birthday, at her home, 306 Woodlawn avenue Saturday afternoon from two to five. The home was decorated handsomely the color scheme being pink and white. Eighteen of little Miss Bake's friends were present and enjoyed the afternoon playing games and singing. Lunch was served, the little ones disbursing with the song "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Those present were: Leath Taylor, Louise Collins, Florence Hough, Odry Enoch, Irent Manon, Muriel Ryland, Mary Glasser, Thema Bower, Erma Bower, Hazel Stech, Margaret Yarnell, Dorothy Abby, Blanche Allison, Emma Bake, Sara Mountaier, Gilbert and Josie Bake.

Christy Roberts was a Pittsburg visitor Sunday.

BRIGADE ORGANIZES BASKETBALL TEAM

The Washington Avenue Boy's Brigade has leased the skating rink for basketball games and a league consisting of four teams, the Cadets, Crescents, Pirates and Midgets has been formed. Two games a week will be played, two on Tuesday of each week. The first game will be played on November 28. Capt O. M. Wise will be the head of the league. Manager John Adams of the Charleroi professional basketball team expects to use teams of the Brigade for preliminaries occasianally.

Friday Night Dancing School.

Prof Oatman will teach the Skibo. Class 7:30. Noskoff Brothers of Pittsburg will furnish the music. 90-t6

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church are preparing to hold their annual Bazaar on December 7, 8 and 9. 92-t1

MEDICAL INSPECTION TO BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Will Open the Season

Charleroi Basketball Team Leaves for Connellsville for Game

The Charleroi basketball team under Manager "Jacky" Adams went to Connellsville this afternoon where the team plays its opener tonight with the fast Connellsville outfit. Manager Adams took with him six players, including himself. The team will probably line up with Adams and "Jimpsey" Brown on the forwards, Dolan a new player on center, Peifer and A. Brown, on guards. Lance Riggs, the local boy being tried out, will be taken along and may get into the game.

WILL NOT CONTEST ELECTION

Notice Virtually Served By Attorneys for Martin

COURT GIVES OPINION

By the withdrawal of the petition to court to have certain ballot boxes opened and recounted the attorneys for Joseph W. Martin have virtually served notice that no contest proceedings will be instituted for the election of prothonatary. Dr. A. V. Lewis, the Republican candidates is shown to be a winner over Martin, the Democratic-Keystone candidate by 14 votes, and it is believed that this desision will stand

At the conclusion of the official count Attorneys A. S. Sprowls and B. B. Barr representing Martin, petitioned that certain ballot boxes be reopened and recounted as it was claimed that many ballots had not been counted for Martin that had marks in each of the two party squares opposite his name. It was claimed that in cases like this one vote should be counted for Martin, as it was clearly the intent of the voter to vote for him. An opinion had been given by Judge McHvaine that a ballot thus marked was illegal and the court produced Supreme Court decisions to sustain his opinion, which was also concurred in by Judge Taylor

There is still one point to be decided before the official count is announced, and it is not believed this will invalidate Lewis' chances. Attorney Barr cited the law and asked that the ballot box of Cecil 5th be brought into court and opened. The tally sheet from that precinct shows

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Turkey Dinner.

Everybody invited to the turkey dinner and supper at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church Thursday, November 16 91-t3

State Department of Health Ready for School Work

SAFEGUARD CHILDREN

Pupils to be Examined by Medical Authorities to Protect Them From Ills

Three hundred thousand girls and boys in the third and fourth class school districts of Pennsylvania are to be safeguarded from the undiscovered ills which menace their health and general well being. Charleroi is a third class district and North Charleroi is fourth class.

All the preliminary arrangements for the work of medical inspection have been completed by Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, Commissioner of Health and during the coming week the actual work will begin throughout the 321 boroughs and 460 townships which are to receive the benefit of the act of Assembly authorizing this protective measure. Dr. J. K. Smith Dr. F. C. Stahlman, Dr. Edwin McKay and Dr. H. J. Repman are the physicians appointed to do the local work.

It will take the 500 physicians who will be appointed the task, about two weeks to complete the work in the field. When this is done all the reports will be sent to the Department of Health where they will be studied carefully and wherever a record is found of a child who is deficient in sight, hearing or otherwise in need of attention the parents will be notified by the Commissioner. In no instance will the doctor making the inspection, communicate direct with the parents. This will be done by Dr. Dixon through the teachers, who will receive a duplicate report which they are required to keep until the end of the school year.

The first step in the examination of the pupils will be an identication record giving the name of the teacher, location of the school, sex, age, color and nativity of the pupil, all of which will be entered on a card. The examination will be made in the school room and when they so desire the parents or guardian may be present. The pupils' vision will be tested by the use of Snellen's chart and the degree of impairment if any noted. This will be followed by hearing, breathing tests and an examination of the cervical glands. Skin diseases, nervous disorders, quarantinable diseases, deformities and the general nutrition of the child all are to be considered.

In making the examination no clothing will be removed and in looking at the teeth and tonsils the physician will use a separate wooden tongue depressor for each pupil.

In addition to the examination of the pupils the medical inspector will make a thorough report on the sanitary conditions of the school and it's surroundings. This will be most complete as to details. The condition of the rooms and halls will be noted and the method of cleaning given. The amount of lighting space in proportion to the floor area will be computed as well as the number of cubic feet of air space per pupil. The method of heating, whether steam, hot water or stove and the location of the apparatus. The water supply, a most im-

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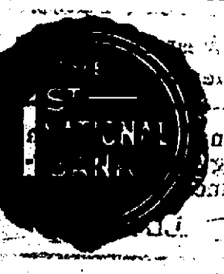
K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

Something You Must Decide



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ELECTION FIGURES.

The figures from the recent election make an interesting study. The Republicans for the second time in history overwhelmed the Democrats of Maryland. There the fight was between the two old parties and the people expressed confidence in the Republicans. In New Jersey, which only last year went over to the Democrats and produced a large slab of Presidential timber, returned to the Republican fold with all its force and seems to have made that slice of Presidential timber useless.

In Ohio where there is real Democratic Presidential timber the Democrats stood by their guns and notice was served upon the world that Gov. Harmon was the only real thing in Presidential possibilities, nothwithstanding the outspoken and often repeated opposition of W. J. Bryan.

The results in New Jersey and Ohio were probably the most important in the country and they are certain to have distinct bearing upon the next Democratic national convention and the next Presidential campaign. Down in Philadelphia they elected a reform mayor. However he is a Republican and his election was made necessary when Senator Penrose determined on a general housecleaning process in that city.

There were no other significant figures from the election in Pennsylvania. Those who make politics a study are convinced that the election of a reform mayor in Philadelphia will put the Republican organization of that city in fighting trim for the next real campaign. The reform was needed and Senator Penrose assumes full responsibility for bringing it about.

TEACHES A LESSON.

It is quite evident from the unusual amount of newspaper as well as individual comment on the large Socialistic vote polled at the recent election that a scare has been injected not only into the politicians of the State but into business circles as well. The total vote cast in the State by the Socialists has not yet been tabulated but its great increase in certain communities is portentous to say the least.

While the great wave of insurgnecy that has swept the country and is still sweeping it has resulted in a realignment of the old parties in many sections, circumstances in others have made it practically impossible to force changes in the older parties to suit the growing demands for more popular government. The most of the State constitutions contain provisions that prohibit the introduction of changes like the initiative the referendum and the recall, as well as woman suffrage, all vital questions to which the people are entitled, and which they clearly recognize as their right. It is apparent that the older parties will not adopt these popular reform measures, and voters—not only in single spies, but in battalions—are flocking to the Socialist party, which at the present time is the only out and out party of protest against antiquated obstacles of popular rights. The last election has made the standpatters of antiquity sit up and take notice, and the movement for progression will profit immensely by the result.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

You should never make love to a girl in a buggy, because horses carry tails.

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An optimist has been defined as a man whose bump of hope is bigger than the rest of his head.

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The man who cuts off his nose to spite his face is invariably successful.

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If John has a good head of hair, is Archibald?

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Does anyone know that Saturday was the 11th day of the 1th month of the 11th year?

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The weather man is providing about all the variety of weather he carries in stock.

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Andrew Carnegie has taken another notion and instead of giving his money for libraries is bestowing a certain sum for education.

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Speaking of a country pursuing the even tenor of its way, how does this after election moulding strike you?

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Illinois is bound to have something new sometime. It has the Hoosier poet and now it has a woman mayor who is going to sweep out of her office all the accumulated dirt of years.

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Cornation robes are saved by the king and queen of England much the same as wedding suits and gowns are by other men and women.

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This autotype of the pioneer craft New Orleans is going to spend as much time or more as its predecessor did in getting to the gulf.

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Nevada resents a fling taken by a New York judge at Reno, the home of divorcees. It's still true that charity begins at home.

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Is rural mail delivery of more benefit to a rural community than the telephone? To the women on a party line, decidedly not.

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Good government is promised in San Francisco. Still there are so many kinds of "good" government as viewed by different localities that there is yet a big question to be answered

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Somebody has accused Chicago of permitting demoralizing moving picture shows to exist. That's letting the Windy City down easy.

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Pretty soon the streets will be prepared for winter wear.

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A Colorado poet, in love no doubt, refers to a mole on a woman's neck as "a tear drop petrified by its own audacity.' Beauty doctors still have something to learn.

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The dove of peace is having a hard time keeping its tailfeathers from being plucked out entirely

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Anyhow they don't name potatoes after statesmen.

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Thomas Edison says the American people sleep too much. Wonder if it was to correct that ailment that he invented the phonograph.

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After all running a political campaign and running the late Standard Oil company were pretty much alike.

German Soldiers Are Swimmers.

All German soldiers must learn to swim. Some of them are so expert that, with their clothing on their heads and carrying guns and ammunition, they can swim rivers several hundred yards in width.

Table Talk.

"The more I see of men, the more I like dogs," declared the pessimistic boarder. "Have some sausage, Mr. Wombat," suggested the landlady.—Washington Herald.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

A recent visitor in Charleroi tells of a conversation he had with Charles K. Hamilton, the aviator, one of the Wright Brothers' most efficient assistants. The aeroplane on leaving the earth attains a terrific speed—fifty or sixty miles an hour, is the rate of speed usually attained and the sensation is usually the marvel of the beholders of the flying machine for the first time.

"What is the sensation of the aviator on leaving the earth?" Hamilton was asked.

"It is a brand new sensation and hard to describe," replied the aviator. "The nearest I can describe it is for a novice to imagine himself sitting on the end of a ladder thrust out of a twenty-story building, and then have some one shove the ladder off. The sensation is terrific. A person with a weak heart would collapse when the machine begins to make its upward swoop, and on the start it requires all the nerve one can command to keep from becoming panic stricken. An aviator must never lose his head, because if he does he stands a good chance to lose his life."

O'Reilly was a henpecked husband, unforgiving even when Mrs. O'Reilly had been called to the "great beyond." He refused to have anything to do with the funeral or to go to the cemetery. All the arrangements were looked after by neighbors. When they had straightened up the house, they got O'Reilly to consent to come in and look over the floral offerings of the friends. Then they asked him if they was anything further they could do before they took their leave. Still regarding the floral pieces, O'Reilly nodded and observed:

"If yez don't moind, yez might close thim 'Gates Ajar.'"

SOLITUDE.

Laugh and the world laughs with you;
Weep and you weep alone;
For this brave old earth must borrow its mirth,
It has troubles enough of its own.
Sing and the hills will answer;
Sigh, it is lost on the air!
The echoes bound to a joyful sound,
But shrink from voicing care.

Rejoice and men will seek you,
Grieve and they turn and go;
They want full measure of all your pleasure,
But they do not want your woe.
Be glad and your friends are many;
Be sad and you lose them all;
There are none to decline your nectared wine,
But alone you must drink life's gall.

Feast and your halls are crowded;
Fast and the world goes by;
Succeed and give and it helps you live,
But no man can help you die.
There is room in the halls of pleasure
For a long and lordly train;
But one by one we must all file on
Through the narrow aisles of pain.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Importance of Typewriter.

The typewriter ranks as one of the most important inventions of the last half a century in the promotion of business and the spread of intelligence. Like the telephone, sewing machine, automobile, etc., its loss would cause the world to slow down a bit.

Everything Put Right.

"Father, the duke has proposed, and we want to be married immediately." "All right. Here's a check for your million. Tell the duke to step in and I'll give him a dollar to get the license."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Careful.

Old Fashioned Party (with old fashioned prejudices)—Ah, very clever, I dare say. But I see it's written by a lady, and I want a book that my daughters may read. Give me something else!"—Punch.

SPENT HER MONEY WELL

On beautiful Sheridan avenue in Detroit, lives Miss Marie Richter, in perfect health, although a year ago she was almost a wreck. Writing of her condition at that time she says: "Last winter I was completely run down and felt fagged-out all the time, was nervous and had indigestion.

"One of my friends advised me to take Vinol and it has done me great good. The tired, worn-out feeling is all gone and I am strong, vigorous and well. The stomach trouble soon disappeared and now I eat heartily and have perfect digestion. I wish every tired, weak, nervous woman could have Vinol, for I never spent any money in my life that did me so much koodas that I spent for Vinol."

Thousands of women and men who were formerly weak and sickly owe their present rugged health to the wonderful strength-creating effects of Vinol. If you are pale, weak, nervous and upset you owe it to yourself and your family to try Vinol It will build you and make you strong. If it does not we give back your money. Piper Bros., Druggists, Charleroi, Pa.

FOOTBALL TEAM GETS AUTO STUCK IN MUD AND HAVE TO WALK

After defeating the Bentleyville High School football team by the score of 18 to 0 the Charleroi High School players started home in Frew's big delivery automobile Saturday evening late. Making fairly good time along the slippery road in the big machine all went well until Nelson's hill was reached, three or four miles from town. Then the front wheels skidded off into the ditch. There it stuck. Members of the team had to walk home. Sunday morning by the aid of a farmer with a team of horses the machine was gotten out of the ditch and brought home.

MEDICAL INSPECTION BEGINS NEXT WEEK

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portant point is to be given attention if from a well it's location and the possibilities of contamination from surface drainage or adjacent cess pools, stables, etc., must be noted. If it is from a municipal supply whether from within the building on the grounds and the possible source of contamination if any. The care of the water in the school room is also a subject for examination and such points as whether the drinking cups are dipped into the bucket, the use of individual cups the cleaning of the receptacle used and the frequency with which they are replenished are all noted. While all of these things may seem to many of the parents matters of trifling importance their value in protecting the health of their children is of the greatest consequence.

Wherever medical inspection of schools has been instituted within this State or other Commonwealths, it's value has been so thoroughly demonstrated and the results have proved of such aid to thousands of children that it has never in a single instance been discontinued. The parents are in almost every instances quick to take the remedial measures necessary to give their children an equal chance with their fellows and Little Johnny who has always seemed a dullard or Mary who has lagged behind her playmates may with the proper attention to some heretofore unsuspected defect of sight or hearing prove themselves the brightest of a class of which they were previously dull members.

Report of the Condition of the Bank of Charleroi, of Charleroi, Cor. Fallowfield Ave. and Fifth street, of Washington County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 6, 1911.

RESOURCES.

Reserve Fund:		
Cash, specie and notes		$ 58,042 70
Due from approved reserve agents	96,547 19	$154,589 89
Nickels, and Cents		192 98
Checks and cash items		2,142 82
Securities pledged for Special deposits		5,280 00
Bills discounted upon one name	29,748 28	
Bills discounted upon one or more names	431,690 95	461,439 18
Time loans with collateral		28,787 38
Loans on call with collateral		148,203 87
Loans on call upon one name		69,545 63
Loans on call upon two or more names		153,425 16
Loans secured by bond and mortgage		98,778 45
Bonds, Stocks, etc., Schedule D		195,702 01
Mortages and Judgements of record, Schedule D-2		197 583 58
Office building and lot		35,000 00
Other real estate		28,366 67
Miscellaneous Assets		580 72
Total		$1,564,973 29

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		75,000 00
Surplus fund		212,500 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		23,086 26
Individual Deposits subject to check	$850,367 09	
Time certificates of deposit	228,995 05	
Saving Fund Deposit	654,227 59	
Deposits, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania	20,000 000	
Deposits, U. S. Postal Savings	221 20	
Certified Checks	4,719 00	
Cashier's Checks outstanding	901.10	1,254,481 03
Dividends unpaid		6 00
Total		$1,564,973 29

State of Pennsylvania, County of Washington, ss:

I, KERFOOT W. DALY, Cashier of the above named Company do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

KERFOOT W. DALY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of November, 1911.

MINNIE B. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 14, 1913.

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"For that don't feel like work feeling, with which," said Mr. Glimmerton, "I fancy we are all of us more or less likely to be afflicted, I would in some cases prescribe rest, though in most cases no doubt the proper prescription would be exertion.

"The trouble with the rest cure is that it is like taking opiates; the more you take the more you want. The rest habit is easy to acquire and hard to break.

"The habit of exertion, on the contrary, is one that commonly we do not take to so kindly; it does not, as it were, spontaneously permeate us as the rest habit does; it may in fact require assiduous cultivation, and it takes quite a man to acquire this habit in a completely saturating and permanent form so that he is proof against attacks of the rest habit, which, if he has a trace of it left in him, is sure to develop on the slightest provocation.

"Exertion is the only real cure. It may be hard to take at first, but you'll come to like it. Persist and you'll find it vastly strengthening and then delightful; and then, while in taking the rest cure you are all the time paying money out, in taking this one you have money all the time coming in.

"Try work, continuous, steady, hard work. Once get the habit of work embedded in your system and you won't be troubled any more by that tired feeling."

The Collector.

The late Edwin A. Abbey had no sympathy with those American millionaires who pay $400,000 or $500,000 for a doubtful Rembrandt or an imputed Fragonard, while painters of genius in their own towns are starving for lack of orders.

Mr. Abbey at a dinner at his London residence in Tite street, said last year, apropos of the purchase by a New Yorker of a doubtful Titian at an inflated price:

"This type of man knows nothing about art. A man of this type, when Whistler was not yet famous, wanted his wife's portrait done.

"'How much will you charge me, Mr. Whistler,' he said, 'for a lifesize picture of the madam?'

"'My price,' said Whistler, 'will be £2,500.'

"The millionaire took up his hat and stick.

"'Why,' he snorted, turning to go, 'you expect to be paid for your work as if you had been dead 400 or 500 years!'"

Artificial Sponge.

An artificial sponge, the outcome of German ingenuity, is now to be had, according to the Scientific American. The process of making it consists principally in the action of zinc chloride on pure cellulose. This results in a pasty, viscous mass, which is mixed with coarsely grained rock salt.

Placed in a press, mold armed with pins the mass is pierced through and through until it appears traversed by a multitude of tiny canals, like the pores of a natural sponge. The excess of salts is subsequently removed by prolonged washing in a weak alcoholic solution. The artificial sponge swells up with water but hardens on drying, just like its prototype; it is said to be eminently adapted for filtering water for sanitary or industrial uses and it can be employed for all the purposes that are usually assigned to the genuine article.

Natural Curiosity.

On the hills of Abbeville, S. C., was picked up a piece of quartz about the size of a thimble. It contains a small bead that shifts about and appears to be a drop of water.

Beauty Unadorned.

"A pretty girl can wear almost anything."

"Yes; or quite the contrary."—Judge

Vanity.

A real friendship with a vain woman lacks comfort and sincerity. Wound for a second her vanity and the friendship snaps. Many people wonder at the attraction of women who are undeniably plain, but it often has its root in the fact that they are lacking in vanity. They are not constantly absorbed in their own charms, so have time to admire those of other people, consequently they are seldom lacking in friends.

Vanity is not altogether an attribute of the grown-up. One sees it frequently developed to an alarming extent in young children. Nor is it a matter for amusement. Rather should every mother strive to sproot this tendency. Ridicule is one of the swiftest ways of extinguishing it.

Children should be taught not to attach importance to whatever physical charms they may possess. Beautiful eyes, a lovely mouth or a delightful nose should not be subjects of comment, but if commented upon at all should be lightly done, for no child should be started in life with the handicap of vanity.—Exchange.

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PREPARING FOR POULTRY SHOW

Preparations are now being made by J. J. Cannon, secretary of the Canonsburg Poultry and Pet Stock Association, to send out premium lists for their annual show to be held in Canonsburg from January 1 to 6. From all indications, the entry list this year will be far larger than at any of their previous shows. The total number of entries last year was over 800 and it is expected that the 1000 mark will be passed this year. Inquiries for premium lists are being received from all parts of the county.

At the last show, about 50 cups were given to exhibitors as prizes but this year the display of trophies is expected to be larger than that of any show ever held in Western Pennsylvania. One of the members of the association has donated a cup valued at $100 for the largest number of points scored by an exhibitor having three or more competitors.

The show will be held in Beagle's Auditorium again this year and the freight service on the interurban line of the Pittsburg Railways Company makes this hall easy of acces to the visiting exhibitor, as the cars stop in front of the building.

No Room for Improvement.

It was about 1720, at Amsterdam, that Fahrenheit made his first thermometer, which has served as a model ever since.

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PENNSY EMPLOYES GET INSTRUCTION

That the Pennsylvania Railroad believes education and efficiency go hand in hand is indicated by the announcement that a train lighting instruction car has just been added to the Company's extensive educational facilities for employes. This will be sent to the different points along the lines where electrical forces are maintained, and by means of lectures and demonstrations the men will be given uniform instruction.

The apparatus installed in the new car consists of a 32-cell storage battery, a turbo-generator, a variable speed motor with necessary controlling apparatus for driving the axle devices and a number of axle generators with their regulating equipments. One end of the car has been partioned off and equipped as an office and sleeping quarters for the instructor.

With the instruction car in operation it is intended that all employes whose duties include car lighting shall be taught to care for and operate the various equipments, with the two-fold object of educating those interested and securing uniformity in their work.

MAKING RAIN WITH ROCKETS

Experiments Tried With Considerable Success on a Coffee Plantation in Southern India.

Experiments made to ascertain whether the discharge of explosives during cloudy weather produces rainfall are described in a letter from James Stanes.

"Some years ago," he says, "an experiment was tried in the Cuddapah district of southern India with considerable success. I am part owner of an estate in the Seramully hills, which is situated in a particularly dry zone For several seasons poor coffee crops withered away from lack of rain during July and August.

"When I was visiting the estate in July, 1905, I noticed that heavy clouds gathered every afternoon and I thought that if we had been in a position to fire explosive rockets from the highest peak of the hills, about 4,500 feet, a shower of rain might have been produced.

"I therefore arranged to have a supply of rockets kept on the estate and fired off every afternoon at the rate of one rocket every five minutes, but only when the condition of the atmosphere was such that heavy rain threatened on all sides.

"Whether rain has fallen in response to these explosives or not the fact remains that ever since we first tried the experiment we have been fortunate enough to catch sufficient moisture to enable the crops to survive the drought."

Firing into the clouds with the object of causing rain was practiced for several years in southern Germany, Switzerland and France, but seems to have been abandoned some time ago. The idea was to protect the vineyards and other cultivations from damage by hailstones, it being thought that by the discharge of large guns rain would fall and that the danger from hailstorms would be averted.—London Daily Mail.

Stare Fate in the Face.

Fortune never helps the man whose ourage fails.—Sophocles.

ROSSINI FAMOUS AS A WIT

Some of the Whimsicalities With Which the Great Composer Made Life Jollier.

Rossini's witticisms bubbled forth at all times and under all circumstances, says Musical Opinion. On one occasion a gentleman called upon him to enlist his aid in procuring for him an engagement at the opera. He was a drummer and had taken the precaution to bring his instrument. Rossini said he would hear him "play," and it was agreed that he should show off in the overture to "Semiramide."

Now, the very first bar of the overture contained a tremolo for the drum, and when this had been performed the player remarked, "Now I have a rest of 78 bars—these, of course, I will skip." This was too good a chance to be lost. "O, no," said the composer, "by all means count the 78 bars; I particularly want to hear those." Rossini's whimsicality extended even to his birthday. Having been born on February 29, in leap year, he had, of course, a birthday once in four years, and when he was seventy-two he facetiously invited his friends to celebrate his eighteenth birthday.

The late Sir Arthur Sullivan made his acquaintance in Paris. One morning, when Sullivan called to see him, he found him trying over a small piece of music. "What is that?" asked Sullivan. "It's my dog's birthday," replied, very seriously, "and I write a little piece for him every year."

When Rossini was once rehearsing one of his operas in a small theater in Italy he noticed that the horn was out of tune. "Who is that playing the horn in such an unholy way?" he demanded. "It is I," said a tremulous voice. "Ah, it is you, is it? Well, go right home." It was his own father!

Jim's Wife.

After the report had been current for a week that Jim's wife, whom Jim had met and married and was still secluding in Chicago, was ugly as sin, a friend who had Jim's interests at heart, ran down the author of the rumor with the intention of making her retract.

"How do you know she is ugly?" he asked. "Have you ever seen her?"

"No," said the experienced gossip, "I never have, neither have I seen her picture, nor anybody who has been either her or her picture, but I know she is ugly, because I had it straight from a person who lives in Chicago that when she ordered a dozen pictures taken just a while before the wedding the photographer made her pay in advance, and a photographer never does that unless the subject is so ugly that she is apt to be discouraged when she sees the pictures and refuse to pay for them on the ground that he hasn't done good work. If you don't believe me ask any photographer."

But Jim's champion let the matter drop.—New York Times.

Life of the Grapevine.

There are some who contend that the life of the grapevine is longer than that of the oak. It is rare that a wild grapevine is found that has died of old age. Pliny mentions a vine 600 years old. There is a vine at Hampton Court, England, planted in 1769, while here in America there is a wild grapevine on the shores of Mobile Bay, within a mile of Daphne, Ala. commonly known as the "General Jackson" vine, more than 6 feet in circumference at its base. There is a grapevine in Carpenteria, Cal., under which more than eight hundred persons may stand. Its trunk is eight feet in diameter at the base and it has borne as high as ten tons of fruit. It is said that this vine was planted in 1842.

Retaining Self-Respect.

There is a beautiful harmony between the good of the state and the moral freedom and dignity of the individual. Were these interests in any case discordant, were an individual ever called to serve his country by acts debasing his own mind, he ought not to waver for a moment as to the good which he should prefer. His soul he must never stain or enslave. From poverty, pain, the rack, the gibbet, he should not recoil; but for no good of others ought he to part with self-control or violate the inward law. —W. E. Channing.

Ancient Roman Long Branch.

The sea coast of Laurentum may have been in favor with the fashionable and the wealthy for a brief space of time under Augustus and his immediate successors, but was given up quite soon to parvenues and merchants and retired officers, and the same set of noisy people who haunt at the present day the popular watering places of the world. To make the analogy more striking, an inscription has been found at La Capocotta singing the praises of a wealthy Jew, and revealing the fact that a synagogue had been built at Ostia for the use of the Semitic "villeggianti" on the neighboring coast.

The Daily Newspaper

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"EIGHTS" ARE THEIR HOODOOS

Postal Clerks Say Stamps of That Denomination Cause Them Much Financial Loss.

When a meek little man stepped up to the stamp window in a branch office and asked for an eight cent stamp he caused as much consternation as if he had demanded "your money or your life."

All the clerks came to the window to take a look at him. They muttered to one another and made strange and fantastic signs, crossed their fingers, knocked on wood and did various other things that are supposed to drive away evil spirits.

"We're just out of eight cent stamps," a clerk finally stammered. "Got lots of two and ones."

"Well, gimme a five and a three," said the meek little man, upon receiving which he paid for them and departed.

"What's the matter with the eights?" queried an inquisitive spectator.

The stamp clerk was still too nervous to answer, but one of the others said, with a smile:

"Eights are hoodoos. None of the small offices handle them if they can help it. It's this way: They are just a wee shade different in color from the ones and it is no infrequent thing for a stamp clerk in a hurry to hand out a lot of eights when ones are asked and paid for. It always costs him seven cents a stamp when he does it. The clerk here the other day, during the rush hour, when the offices are closing, was called upon for a dollar's worth of ones. He handed out a hundred eights instead. Cost him seven dollars. Then he got rid of all the rest of the eights and now he won't have anything to do with eights. Even says 'eaten' instead of 'ate.'"

Cannon Balls of Stone and Iron.

Stone bullets were used until the year 1514 when they were supplanted by iron. It was near the close of the sixteenth century before leaden bullets were generally adopted. Stone cannon balls are yet used in some of the eastern countries.

Almost the Limit.

"You say she worries herself unnecessarily over trifling things?" said one of two women who were speaking about the ways of another. "Worries?" was the answer. "Why, she's more trouble to herself than a family of children!"

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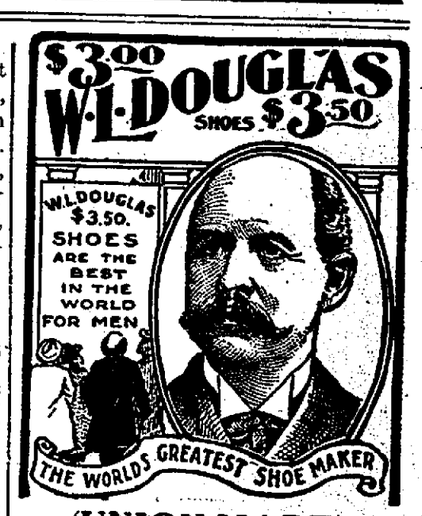

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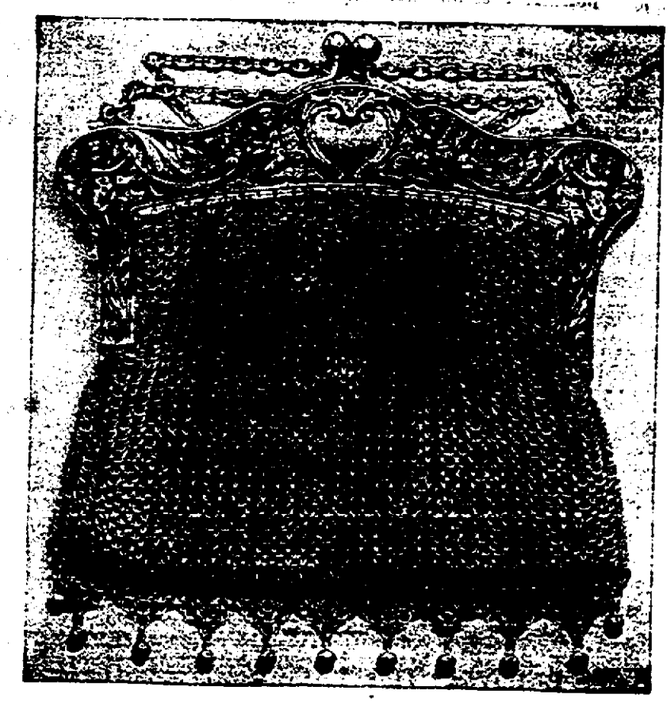

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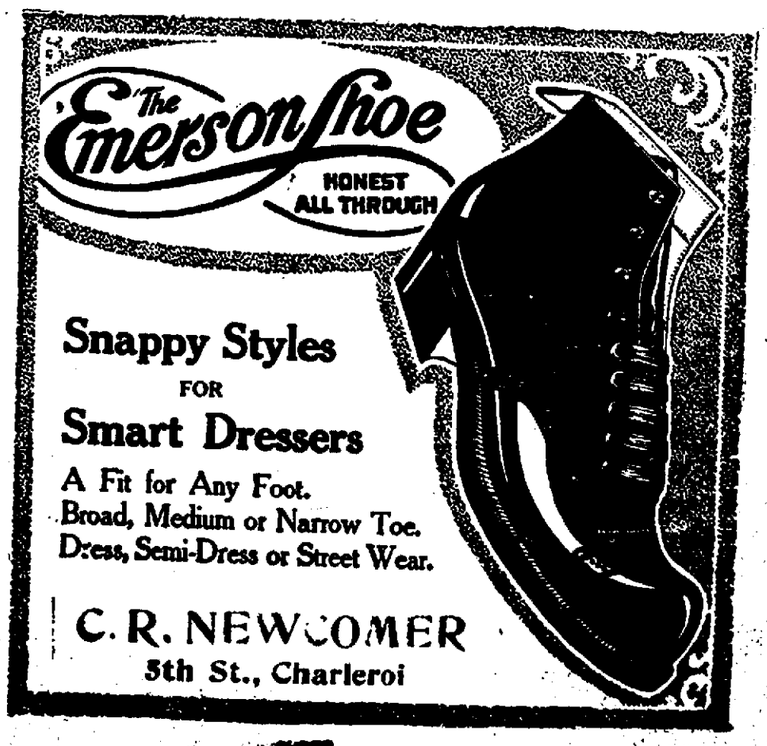

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We have made three big lots of fine skirts and marked them at prices that should clean them out fast:

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BERRYMAN'S Charleroi's Big Store

SHERIFF SHIELDS MUST SERVE TERM IN PENITENTIARY

John E. Shields, the former sheriff of Westmoreland county, who on September 12, was convicted of permitting prisoners to escape, misdemeanor perjury and malfeasance in office was Saturday sentenced to serve a total of two years and four months in the Western penitetiary. The sentence was imposed by Judge A. D. McConnel who formally deprived Shields of his office as sheriff. A fine of $44.10 was also imposed on the defendant.

Shields was sentenced to serve one year and one month on the charge of permitting prisoners to escape and it was ordered that on the expiration of this term he should begin another term of imprisonment of one year and three months on the other convision. The fine was imposed in connection with the second charge.

Aa complication in connection with the case was the election of Shields, last Tuesday, to the office of county commissioner. With a suspended sentence hanging over him, he secured the second highest number of votes. Until a new sheriff takes office the coroner will act as sheriff of the county.

Rumors Not Verified.

Various rumors were afloat today to the effect that the Charleroi Coal works and other holdings of the Pittsburg Plate Glass company had been sold. Investigations elicted the information that no such deals had been closed.

Short of Coal.

Although Roscoe is a mining town local consumers have difficulty is getting a supply for domestic use. Those who cater to this trade are not able to supply the demand and orders have to be placed weeks ahead of time.

Secure Larger Quarters.

The Socialists' organization of Washington has grown to such proportions that a larger hall has been secured for a regular meeting place. The old Knights of Pythias hall at 61 North Main street has been leased.

Masons Hold Reunion.

Uniontown Lodge of Perfection of the Masonic order held its eighth annual reunion at Uniontown last Friday. A large crowd of visitors was in attendance.

Killed While Hunting

William Ritson, 16 years old, of Grindstone, Fayette county was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun while hunting last Friday.

Enjoy a really good turkey dinner and supper at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church Thursday, Nov. 16. 91-t3

LOCAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Whitlatch, formerly of Charleroi, now located at Rices Landing, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Whitlatch Sunday.

A public euchre is to be given at the P. H. C. hall as a benefit for St. Jerome's church Wednesday by Mrs. S. O. Rock.

Bannister Roberts, who has been employed in the law office of D. M. McCloskey, Esq., left Sunday morning for Ada, Ohio, to enter Ohio Northern University.

Philip Emigh of Brockwayville was an over Sunday visitor at the home of his uncle, E. C. Niver of Washington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Milligan visited friends in Brownsville Sunday.

A Hart Chandler, superintendent of the Pittsburg Plate Glass factory at Ford City and Mrs. Chandler and their two children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Day of the Hotel Arthur over Sunday.

A license has been granted at Washington for the marriage of Carl Heilinger and Elizabeth Wehage of Charleroi.

The will of Louis Bultez late of Charleroi has been probated and letters issued to Laura C. Bultez, his widow. She is given his estate.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Gans and son spent Sunday in Uniontown with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Darby have returned from a visit in Fairchance with friends.

Mrs. J. Q. Carlisle after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lysle of Fallowfield avenue has returned home.

Mrs. Rose Brison has gone to East Liberty where she will make her future home.

O. A. Phalon is a business visitor today in Washington.

Miss Mollie Craven of Pittsburg and Miss Anna Craven of Beallsville visited Sunday with Misses Lulu and Roberta Trew.

E. F. Krahmer, F. W. Jones, R. C. Mountsier and Dr. John McNaughton left Saturday for Jefferson county on a hunting trip.

Miss Victrine Laborie and Mary Fau, spent Sunday in Greensburg at St. Joseph's Academy with Miss Fau's sister, Adeline.

Miss Lottie Laborie spent Sunday with friends in Monongahela.

Classified Ads.

WANTED—High class man to sell trees, shrubs, roses, vines, berry bushes, bulbs, etc. Good wages. Permanent exclusive territory. Brown Brothers Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. 91-t1p

WANTED—Local agent. Maunfacturer opening this territory desires agents for all the principal towns in Washington and Greene counties for an article of merit. An exceptionally good opportunity for good men. Call or write L. S. Weaver, Charleroi Hotel Tuesday and Wednesday, November 14 and 15 91-t2p

WANTED—Position as salesladies by two young ladies. Apply S. L. Mail office. 91-t2p

WANTED—Lady or gentleman demonstrators to work in Charleroi and nearby towns. Salary $2.00 per day. Write, giving name and address and I will call. Frank J. Brookman, general delivery, Charleroi, Pa. 91-t-p

WANTED—Two young men to do outside work. Big money to hustler. Apply People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi. 88-tf

WANTED—Girl for housework, 414 Falowfield. 84-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply 835 Fallowfield avenue. 44-tf

LOST—Rosary, either in St. Jerome's church or between church and Fifth street. Return to Furlong's Music store. 90-tf

Star Theatre

TODAY

The Silver Signal

His Sister's Sweetheart

The East and the West.

Matinee daily, 2 to 4.30 p. m.
Saturday Matinee, 1 to 4.30 p. m.

PICTURES CHANGED DAILY

Doors open every evening at 6 p.m.

Here is a New Model Walking Boot

In Gun Metal, Button, Broad high, mannish toe. The very latest thing out. One of the very new creations of the celebrated **RED CROSS MAKE.** Full of ginger, snappy to the limit. This shoe has a tremendious success in the city. Not to be found in any other line. Moderately priced at $4.

J. J. Beerens'

The Right Store on the Wrong Side of the Street.

513 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi

NOT TO CONTEST THE ELECTION

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13 votes for Lewis and the figures carried out on the return sheets give Lewis 28 votes. On the face of the return sheets it seems apparent that 28 is right, as there are similar differences between the tallies and the figures on the return sheets with the other votes returned. It appears the board simply tallied the straight tickets. Judge Taylor said that when going over the returns he had analyzed the question raised and had decider the 28 votes was right. In order, though to be fair in the matter, he stated and the counsel for Mr. Martin insisting, he made an order directing the election board of Cecil 5th to bring in the ballot box. This will be done, but in the meantime the official return board will total up the figures as tallied from the return sheets, but will make no return until the Cecil 5th question is settled.

THINK THIS OVER

This Offer Should the Confidence of the Most Skeptical

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. That's a mighty broad statement but we mean every word of it. Could anything be more fair for you?

A most scientifie, common-sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. Their active principle is a recent scientific discovery that is odorless, colorles and tasteless; very pronounced, gentle and pleasant in action and particularly agreeable in every way. This ingredient does not cause diarrhoea, nausea, flatulence, griping or other inconvenience. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged or delicate persons

If you suffer from chronic or habitual constipation or the associate or dependent chronic ailments, we urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk Remember, you can get them in Charleroi only at our store. 12 tablets, 10 cents;36 tablets, 25 cents; 80 tablets, 50 cents. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. Carroll's Drug Store, 623 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi.

Must Stop Pollution.

Allenport property owners have been notified by the health department at Harrisburg to cease running their sewage into the river within 30 days.

Parents' Day at Roscoe.

Prof Crumrine, principal of the Roscoe schools, has designated Friday, November 17, as parents' day.

Primitive Medicines.

Some of the early medical practitioners were very limited in the choice of remedies. Victor Hugo's family physician used only ammonia and camphor in different combinations.

Fixing Prices of Diamonds.

The prices of polished diamonds are controlled by prices of the rough stones and are really made in London.

Roscoe's Postal Bank Opens

The postal savings bank at Roscoe opened for business on Friday.

Buy Your Shoes Tomorrow in the Great Sale

Men's Packard Shoes
$4.00 values for $2 80

Again we're enabled to offer you the famous Packard shoes for men at a big saving price. The lot includes tans, patent and dulls in lace and button styles; also heavy waterproof tan shoes, the ideal shoe for wintry weather; all sizes will be found in the lot, and we guarantee to fit you. Not a pair has sold for less than $4; special price $2.80

Boys' High-Cut Storm Shoes

Boys' high-cut storm shoes, in black and tan, with extra double soles; made with buckles at top and have bellows tongue. Your boy needs these shoes to wear to school on snowy days.

Sizes 9 to 13½, $1.99
Sizes 1 to 5½, $2.49

Childrens' $1.75 Jockey Boots $1.25

Dandy little jockey boots for the children, in sizes 8½ to 11. Made of dull calf with patent leather cuffs and tassel; high cut; have heavy soles; regular $1.75 values; on sale tomorrow $1.25

Boys' $2.50 Shoes, $1.29

A lot of strongly made shoes for boys; dull calf lace models, made with heavy oak soles and have solid counter soles; calf tops; sizes 1 to 5½. These shoes sell regularly for $2.50. Tomorrow they will be placed on sale at $1.29

Womens' $3 Shoes, $1.90

Fashionable models in women's dull calf button shoes, velvet button shoes and patent shoes. These shoes are all splendidly made and are the best values ever offered. The shoes sell regularly for $4 Tomorrow they will all be placed on sale in one lot; your choice $1.90

Womens' French Made Shoes
$5 Values, $3.75

A famous make of momen's shoes in patents and dulls, with cloth and kid tops; lace or button styles; Cuban or Commonsense heels. These shoes are all stricty hand-sewed and will give excellent wear. Sell regularly for $5; on sale $3.75

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PLATE GLASS COMPANY TO START ONE FURNACE

One Hundred Men to Be Given Work at Local Plant

STOCK IN MUCH DEMAND

Material for Carrara Department Used Up- More Must Be Manufactured

Definite information was given out Sunday by A. H. Chandler, former superintendent of the Pittsburg Plate Glass factory here who was a visitor in town that a furnace of the local plant will be started within two or three weeks. The purpose will be to supply the Carrara department which has been running steadily with material. Mr. Chandler is now the superintendent of the Pittsburg Plate Glass company's plant at Ford City.

When the additional furnace is put into use in the neighborhood of 100 new men will be needed. No other stock will be made except for use in the Carrara department.

Last summer when the plate glass plant closed down there was a sufficient quantity of stock on hand to last for the Carrara department for some months. The supply has become exhausted and it is necessary to manufacture more. The local Carrara department is the only one owned at any of their factories by the Pittsburg Plate Glass company and this has kept that part of the Charleroi plant in operation.

Nothing denite has been learned of negotiations between the Pittsburg Steel compnay and the Pittsburg Plate Glass compnay for the local factory of the Charleroi plant. Pittsburg Steel officials have reached the "inquiry" stage and something more definite may develop. The steel company already owns land near Gibsonton which they could use. The Charleroi site would doubtless prove more convenient if the cost is not too great.

EVANGELIST DOES NOT MINCE WORDS IN HIS SERMONS

A. E. Burrows, the evangelist holding a series of meetings at the Methodist Episcopal church did not mince words in speaking to any of his three congregations Sunday, and the result was a deeper interest than has been shown heretofore and a greater manifestation on the part of his hearers to lead changed lives. In the morning Rev. Burrows spoke on: "Proving God." In the afternoon he spoke to men on the subject of "The Shrewd Detective." At this service taking off his coat in the warmth of his ardor he went after the devil and his satellites rough shod. His sermon was effective, although heard by rather a small audience At the evening service Rev. Burrows spoke on "The Knocker." He conducted a prayer service this morning. Much work is being planned for this week.

Wednesday Night Dancing Club.

Meets every Wednesday night Bank of Charleroi Hall. Dancing 8:30. Music by Nassokoff Brothers of Pittsburg. Invitation affair.90-t3

Ready for Inspection

Charleroi Lumber Company Completes Work on New Station

The Charleroi Lumber company, contractor to build the new Pennsylvania railroad station here about finished up the interior work of the station Saturday Practically all that remains to be done inside is the placing of seats and the hanging of lights This shouldn't take more than a few days, after which the station will be ready for the inspection of the main officials of the railroads The Lumber company is now working on a road way to run from Fifth street and from McKean avenue into the station. This roadway will be made of brick. It will not be long after the inspection is made and the station taken off the hands of the contractors, until it is put into general use There will not be any formal dedication as first planned, the railroad officials preferring not to have and dedicatory functions planned, the railroad officials prefertions.

OLD HURT IS CAUSE OF DEATH

Mine Foreman Welden Crushed in Mine Some Years Ago

DIES AT FINLEYVILLE

Severely crushed in a mine accident some years ago, injuries sustained then resulted in the death Sunday morning of J. R. Welden, mine forman at Arnold No. 1 mine at Fayette City. At the time of his death he was at the home of his mother in Finleyville. Mr. Welden apparenttly recovered from his injuries received in the mine accident, although at the time he was hurt his life was despaired of. He returned to work as mine foreman. About three months ago his injuries again began to cause his discomfort and he was finally forced to quit work. Death followed closely. Mr. Weldon was married but had no children. The fueral will be hed at St. Francis church in Finleyville Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will take place in the Finleyville cemetery. Members of Division No. 2 Ancient Order of Hibernians of Chareroi, of which the deceased was a member are requested to attend.

French Chefs Outdone.

Turkey prepared in the latest approved style as well as by the old fashioned method at the turkey dinner and supper of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian Church Nov. 16. 91-t3

ATTITUDE OF VARIOUS INTERESTS DISCUSSED

Newspaper Men View Matters Pertaining to Trade Impartially---Donora Editors Are Hosts

Among other matters of importance the attitude of various interests toward newspaper was discussed at a meeting of the Monongahela Valley Press Asociation held at Donora Saturday evening. Messrs R. E. Koehler, Will Watson and C. E. Lewis, of the *Donora American* were the hosts and a sumptuous supper was served at the Hotel Lawrence with a business session following.

The meeting of the editors was the first one held since last spring and it was the occasion for the exchange of experiences and the discussion of matters pertaining to the fraternity. There were 21 present

With President R. T. Wiley of the Elizabeth Herald in the chair, and J. Mac Colvin as secretary, business was taken up. The first question brought up was that of the attitude of the hotels, churches, fraternal societies and politicians toward the newspapers. Discussions showed that various interests were out for all they could get in the way of free advertising, free notices and favorable consideration, without much regard for reciprocity when oppartunity offered. Two committees were appointed to look into some important matters and report.

The next meeting will be held in Charleroi, the association accepting an invitation to come here. The election of officers will take place on this date.

PROSPERITY SHOWN BY BANK STATEMENT

Bank of Charleroi Ends Most Successful Banking Year in Its History---Well Up Among State Institutions

One of the best showings made by any of the State banking institutions in the whole Commonwealth, which have just published their statements in response to a call from the State Commissioner of Banking, is that of the Bank of Charleroi, which appears elsewhere in this issue. The total resources of this bank are $1,564,973.29. Its captital stock is $75,000 on which it has an earned surplus fund og $212,500, with undivided profits of $23,036.26. Its deposits at the close of business on November 6, when the call for the statement was made, were $1,254,431.03 with loans and investments of $1,848,800.21.

One of the remarkable features of the showing is the big gain in deposits. On May 2, 1910, the deposits were $1,068,385.75, showing a gain between then and November 6 of this year of $186,045.28. On November 9, 1910, the deposits were $1,108,091.53, showing an increase of $146,339.50 between than and November 6. On April 29 of this year the deposits were $1,175,329.19 the increase being in a trifle over six months $79,-101.84.

The officers of the Bank of Charleroi are T. L. Daly, president; John C. McKean, vice president; Kerfoot W. Daly, cashier; C. S. McKean, assistant cashier; W. I.Berryman, solicitor; T. R. Eagye, teller; Ewing B. Todd, individual bookkeeper; Miss Emma A. Dinsmore, general bookkeeper. The directors are Thomas L. Daly, C. F. Thompson, Cary Piper, W. W. Jimeson, J. C. McKean, H. J. Steel, A W. Mellon, W. I. Berryman, J. J. Hott, T. P. Grant, T. R. Duvall

NOR'WESTER BRINGS DOWN THE MERCURY

Record Breaking Weather Experienced Today--- Sudden Change Effected by Arrival of Cold Wave

Laden on the wings of a stiff, penetrating nor'wester the coldest spell of the season arrived Sunday. From a summer-like temperature of 67 or 70 degrees in the morning the mercury dropped to between 15 and 19 degrees Sunday night and went as far down as 10 degrees this morning. Sunday morning Charleroi families ate breakfast with the doors open; Sunday afternoon and evening they had their furnaces and fires raging and still shivered.

Rain which fell with uninterrupted vigor during the morning about noon changed to a regular blizzard of a snow storm. This lasted for a part of the afternoon the mercury dropping all the while. The cold wind which swept through the streets as though along a bleak hillside prevented people from being on the streets.

This kind of weather comes near breaking the record. It is seldom that there is a temperature of 12 degrees attained so early as November 13. For this climate 12 degrees is much below the average cold weather temperature.

PARTY HELD IN HONOR OF GIRL'S BIRTHDAY

Miss Eleanor Bake was tendered an agreeable surprise in honor of her ninth birthday, at her home, 306 Woodlawn avenue Saturday afternoon from two to five. The home was decorated handsomely the color scheme being pink and white. Eighteen of little Miss Bake's friends were present and enjoyed the afternoon playing games and singing. Lunch was served, the little ones disbursing with the song "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Those present were: Leath Taylor, Louise Collins, Florence Hough, Odry Enoch, Irent Manon, Muriel Ryland, Mary Glasser, Thema Bower, Erma Bower, Hazel Stech, Margaret Yarnell, Dorothy Abby, Blanche Allison, Emma Bake, Sara Mountsier, Gilbert and Josie Bake.

Christy Roberts was a Pittsburg visitor Sunday

BRIGADE ORGANIZES BASKETBALL TEAM

The Washington Avenue Boy's Brigade has leased the skating rink for basketball games and a league consisting of four teams, the Cadets, Crescents, Pirates and Midgets has been formed. Two games a week will be played, two on Tuesday of each week. The first game will be played on November 28. Capt O. M. Wise will be the head of the league. Manager John Adams of the Charleroi professional basketball team expects to use teams of the Brigade for preliminaries occasianally.

Friday Night Dancing School.

Prof Oatman will teach the Skibo. Class 7:30. Noskoff Brothers of Pittsburg will furnish the music. 90-t6

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church are preparing to hold their annual Bazaar on December 7, 8 and 9. 92-t1

MEDICAL INSPECTION TO BEGIN NEXT WEEK

State Department of Health Ready for School Work

SAFEGUARD CHILDREN

Pupils to be Examined by Medical Authorities to Protect Them From Ills

Three hundred thousand girls and boys in the third and fourth class school districts of Pennsylvania are to be safeguarded from the undiscovered ills which menace their health and general well being. Charleroi is a third class district and North Charleroi is fourth class.

All the preliminary arrangements for the work of medical inspection have been completed by Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, Commissioner of Health and during the coming week the actual work will begin throughout the 321 boroughs and 460 townships which are to receive the benefit of the act of Assembly authorizing this protective measure. Dr. J. K. Smith Dr. F. C. Stahlman, Dr. Edwin McKay and Dr. H. J. Repman are the physicians appointed to do the local work.

It will take the 500 physicians who will be appointed the task, about two weeks to complete the work in the field. When this is done all the reports will be sent to the Department of Health where they will be studied carefully and wherever a record is found of a child who is deficient in sight, hearing or otherwise in need of attention the parents will be notified by the Commissioner. In no instance will the doctor making the inspection, communicate direct with the parents. This will be done by Dr. Dixon through the teachers, who will receive a duplicate report which they are required to keep until the end of the school year.

The first step in the examination of the pupils will be an identication record giving the name of the teacher, location of the school, sex, age, color and nativity of the pupil, all of which will be entered on a card. The examination will be made in the school room and when they so desire the parents or guardian may be present. The pupils' vision will be tested by the use of Snellen's chart and the degree of impairment if any noted. This will be followed by hearing, breathing tests and an examination of the cervical glands. Skin diseases, nervous disorders, quarantinable diseases, deformities and the general nutrition of the child all are to be considered.

In making the examination no clothing will be removed and in looking at the teeth and tonsils the physician will use a separate wooden tongue depressor for each pupil.

In addition to the examination of the pupils the medical inspector will make a thorough report on the sanitary conditions of the school and it's surroundings. This will be most complete as to details. The condition of the rooms and halls will be noted and the method of cleaning given. The amount of lighting space in proportion to the floor area will be computed as well as the number of cubic feet of air space per pupil. The method of heating, whether steam, hot water or stove and the location of the apparatus. The water supply, a most im-

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Will Open the Season

Charleroi Basketball Team Leaves for Connellsville for Game

The Charleroi basketball team under Manager "Jacky" Adams went to Connellsville this afternoon where the team plays its opener tonight with the fast Connellsville outfit. Manager Adams took with him six players, including himself. The team will probably line up with Adams and "Jimpsey" Brown on the forwards, Dolan a new player on center, Peifer and A. Brown, on guards. Lance Riggs, the local boy being tried out, will be taken along and may get into the game.

WILL NOT CONTEST ELECTION

Notice Virtually Served By Attorneys for Martin

COURT GIVES OPINION

By the withdrawal of the petition to court to have certain ballot boxes opened and recounted the attorneys for Joseph W. Martin have virtually served notice that no contest proceedings will be instituted for the election of prothonatary. Dr. A. V. Lewis, the Republican candidates is shown to be a winner over Martin, the Democratic-Keystone candidate by 14 votes, and it is believed that this desision will stand

At the conclusion of the official count Attorneys A. S. Sprowls and B. B. Barr representing Martin, petitioned that certain ballot boxes be reopened and recounted as it was claimed that many ballots had not been counted for Martin that had marks in each of the two party squares opposite his name. It was claimed that in cases like this one vote should be counted for Martin, as it was clearly the intent of the voter to vote for him. An opinion had been given by Judge McIlvaine that a ballot thus marked was illegal and the court produced Supreme Court decisions to sustain his opinion, which was also concurred in by Judge Taylor

There is still one point to be decided before the official count is announced, and it is not believed this will invalidate Lewis' chances. Attorney Barr cited the law and asked that the ballot box of Cecil 5th be brought into court and opened. The tally sheet from that precinct shows

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Turkey Dinner.

Everybody invited to the turkey dinner and supper at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church Thursday, November 16 91-t3

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

Something You Must Decide

for yourself. Whether you shall be dependent in old age, or enjoy the comforts of prosperity. Lay the foundation of independence Now-today-by starting an account with the First National Bank.

Open Saturday Evenings from 6:00 to 9 o'clock

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No wonder the possessor of a good watch is careful into whose hands he leaves it for repairs, when it fails to do its work.

Many a good watch is left in bad hands and is spoiled by incompetent or careless repairing.

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G. S. Might.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpneck.....Lock No. 4
C. T. Hixenbaugh.....Belle Vernon
C. T. Hixenbaugh.....Speers

ELECTION FIGURES.

The figures from the recent election make an interesting study. The Republicans for the second time in history overwhelmed the Democrats of Maryland. There the fight was between the two old parties and the people expressed confidence in the Republicans. In New Jersey, which only last year went over to the Democrats and produced a large slab of Presidential timber, returned to the Republican fold with all its force and seems to have made that slice of Presidential timber useless.

In Ohio where there is real Democratic Presidential timber the Democrats stood by their guns and notice was served upon the world that Gov. Harmon was the only real thing in Presidential possibilities, nothwithstanding the outspoken and often repeated opposition of W. J. Bryan.

The results in New Jersey and Ohio were probably the most important in the country and they are certain to have distinct bearing upon the next Democratic national convention and the next Presidential campaign. Down in Philadelphia they elected a reform mayor. However he is a Republican and his election was made necessary when Senator Penrose determined on a general housecleaning process in that city.

There were no other significant figures from the election in Pennsylvania. Those who make politics a study are convinced that the election of a reform mayor in Philadelphia will put the Republican organization of that city in fighting trim for the next real campaign. The reform was needed and Senator Penrose assumes full responsibility for bringing it about.

TEACHES A LESSON.

It is quite evident from the unusual amount of newspaper as well as individual comment on the large Socialistic vote polled at the recent election that a scare has been injected not only into the politicians of the State but into business circles as well. The total vote cast in the State by the Socialists has not yet been tabulated but its great increase in certain communities is portentous to say the least.

While the great wave of insurgnecy that has swept the country and is still sweeping it has resulted in a realignment of the old parties in many sections, circumstances in others have made it practically impossible to force changes in the older parties to suit the growing demands for more popular government. The most of the State constitutions contain provisions that prohibit the introduction of changes like the initiative the referendum and the recall, as well as woman suffrage, all vital questions to which the people are entitled, and which they clearly recognize as their right. It is apparent that the older parties will not adopt these popular reform measures, and voters—not only in single spies, but in battalions—are flocking to the Socialist party, which at the present time is the only out and out party of protest against antiquated obstacles of popular rights. The last election has made the standpatters of antiquity sit up and take notice, and the movement for progression will profit immensely by the result.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

You should never make love to a girl in a buggy, because horses carry tails.

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An optimist has been defined as a man whose bump of hope is bigger than the rest of his head.

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The man who cuts off his nose to spite his face is invariably successful.

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If John has a good head of hair, is Archibald?

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Does anyone know that Saturday was the 11th day of the 1th month of the 11th year?

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The weather man is providing about all the variety of weather he carries in stock.

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Andrew Carnegie has taken another notion and instead of giving his money for libraries is bestowing a certain sum for education.

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Speaking of a country pursuing the even tenor of its way, how does this after election moulding strike you?

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Illinois is bound to have something new sometime. It has the Hoosier poet and now it has a woman mayor who is going to sweep out of her office all the accumulated dirt of years.

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Cornation robes are saved by the king and queen of England much the same as wedding suits and gowns are by other men and women.

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This autotype of the pioneer craft New Orleans is going to spend as much time or more as its predecessor did in getting to the gulf.

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Nevada resents a fling taken by a New York judge at Reno, the home of divorcees. It's still true that charity begins at home.

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Is rural mail delivery of more benefit to a rural community than the telephone? To the women on a party line, decidedly not.

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Good government is promised in San Francisco. Still there are so many kinds of "good" government as viewed by different localities that there is yet a big question to be answered

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Somebody has accused Chicago of permitting demoralizing moving picture shows to exist. That's letting the Windy City down easy.

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Pretty soon the streets will be prepared for winter wear.

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A Colorado poet, in love no doubt, refers to a mole on a woman's neck as "a tear drop petrified by its own audacity.' Beauty doctors still have something to learn.

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The dove of peace is having a hard time keeping its tailfeathers from being plucked out entirely

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Anyhow they don't name potatoes after statesmen.

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Thomas Edison says the American people sleep too much. Wonder if it was to correct that ailment that he invented the phonograph.

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After all running a political campaign and running the late Standard Oil company were pretty much alike.

German Soldiers Are Swimmers.

All German soldiers must learn to swim. Some of them are so expert that, with their clothing on their heads and carrying guns and ammunition, they can swim rivers several hundred yards in width.

Table Talk.

"The more I see of men, the more I like dogs," declared the pessimistic boarder. "Have some sausage, Mr. Wombat," suggested the landlady.—Washington Herald.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

A recent visitor in Charleroi tells of a conversation he had with Charles K. Hamilton, the aviator, one of the Wright Brothers' most efficient assistants. The aeroplane on leaving the earth attains a terrific speed—fifty or sixty miles an hour, is the rate of speed usually attained and the sensation is usually the marvel of the beholders of the flying machine for the first time.

"What is the sensation of the aviator on leaving the earth?" Hamilton was asked.

"It is a brand new sensation and hard to describe," replied the aviator. "The nearest I can describe it is for a novice to imagine himself sitting on the end of a ladder thrust out of a twenty-story building, and then have some one shove the ladder off. The sensation is terrific. A person with a weak heart would collapse when the machine begins to make its upward swoop, and on the start it requires all the nerve one can command to keep from becoming panic stricken. An aviator must never lose his head, because if he does he stands a good chance to lose his life."

O'Reilly was a henpecked husband, unforgiving even when Mrs. O'Reilly had been called to the "great beyond." He refused to have anything to do with the funeral or to go to the cemetery. All the arrangements were looked after by neighbors. When they had straightened up the house, they got O'Reilly to consent to come in and look over the floral offerings of the friends. Then they asked him if they was anything further they could do before they took their leave. Still regarding the floral pieces, O'Reilly nodded and observed:

"If yez don't moind, yez might close thim 'Gates Ajar.'"

SOLITUDE.

Laugh and the world laughs with you;
Weep and you weep alone;
For this brave old earth must borrow its mirth,
It has troubles enough of its own.
Sing and the hills will answer;
Sigh, it is lost on the air!
The echoes bound to a joyful sound,
But shrink from voicing care.

Rejoice and men will seek you,
Grieve and they turn and go;
They want full measure of all your pleasure,
But they do not want your woe.
Be glad and your friends are many;
Be sad and you lose them all;
There are none to decline your nectared wine,
But alone you must drink life's gall.

Feast and your halls are crowded;
Fast and the world goes by;
Succeed and give and it helps you live,
But no man can help you die.
There is room in the halls of pleasure
For a long and lordly train;
But one by one we must all file on
Through the narrow aisles of pain.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Importance of Typewriter.

The typewriter ranks as one of the most important inventions of the last half a century in the promotion of business and the spread of intelligence. Like the telephone, sewing machine, automobile, etc., its loss would cause the world to slow down a bit.

Everything Put Right.

"Father, the duke has proposed, and we want to be married immediately." "All right. Here's a check for your million. Tell the duke to step in and I'll give him a dollar to get the license."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Careful.

Old Fashioned Party (with old fashioned prejudices)—Ah, very clever, I dare say. But I see it's written by a lady, and I want a book that my daughters may read. Give me something else!"—Punch.

SPENT HER MONEY WELL

On beautiful Sheridan avenue in Detroit, lives Miss Marie Richter, in perfect health, although a year ago she was almost a wreck. Writing of her condition at that time she says: "Last winter I was completely run down and felt fagged-out all the time, was nervous and had indigestion.

"One of my friends advised me to take Vinol and it has done me great good. The tired, worn-out feeling is all gone and I am strong, vigorous and well. The stomach trouble soon disappeared and now I eat heartily and have perfect digestion. I wish every tired, weak, nervous woman could have Vinol, for I never spent any money in my life that did me so much koodas that I spent for Vinol."

Thousands of women and men who were formerly weak and sickly owe their present rugged health to the wonderful strength-creating effects of Vinol. If you are pale, weak, nervous and upset you owe it to yourself and your family to try Vinol. It will build you and make you strong. If it does not we give back your money. Piper Bros., Druggists, Charleroi, Pa.

FOOTBALL TEAM GETS AUTO STUCK IN MUD AND HAVE TO WALK

After defeating the Bentleyville High School football team by the score of 18 to 0 the Charleroi High School players started home in Frew's big delivery automobile Saturday evening late. Making fairly good time along the slippery road in the big machine all went well until Nelson's hill was reached, three or four miles from town. Then the front wheels skidded off into the ditch. There it stuck. Members of the team had to walk home. Sunday morning by the aid of a farmer with a team of horses the machine was gotten out of the ditch and brought home.

MEDICAL INSPECTION BEGINS NEXT WEEK

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portant point is to be given attention if from a well it's location and the possibilities of contamination from surface drainage or adjacent cess pools, stables, etc., must be noted. If it is from a municipal supply whether from within the building on the grounds and the possible source of contamination if any. The care of the water in the school room is also a subject for examination and such points as whether the drinking cups are dipped into the bucket, the use of individual cups the cleaning of the receptacle used and the frequency with which they are replenished are all noted. While all of these things may seem to many of the parents matters of trifling importance their value in protecting the health of their children is of the greatest consequence.

Wherever medical inspection of schools has been instituted within this State or other Commonwealths, it's value has been so thoroughly demonstrated and the results have proved of such aid to thousands of children that it has never in a single instance been discontinued. The parents are in almost every instances quick to take the remedial measures necessary to give their children an equal chance with their fellows and Little Johnny who has always seemed a dullard or Mary who has lagged behind her playmates may with the proper attention to some heretofore unsuspected defect of sight or hearing prove themselves the brightest of a class of which they were previously dull members.

Report of the Condition of the Bank of Charleroi, of Charleroi, Cor. Fallowfield Ave. and Fifth street, of Washington County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 6, 1911.

RESOURCES.

Reserve Fund:		
Cash, specie and notes	$ 58,042 70	
Due from approved reserve agents	96,547 19	$154,589 89
Nickels, and Cents		192 95
Checks and cash items		2,142 82
Securities pledged for Special deposits		5,250 00
Bills discounted upon one name	20,748 28	
Bills discounted upon one or more names	431,699 95	461,488 14
Time loans with collateral		28,787 88
Loans on call with collateral		148,268 87
Loans on call upon one name		69,545 68
Loans on call upon two or more names		158,425 16
Loans secured by bond and mortgage		98,778 45
Bonds, Stocks, etc., Schedule D		195,702 01
Mortgages and Judgements of record, Schedule D-2		197,558 53
Office building and lot		35,000 00
Other real estate		23,891 67
Miscellaneous Assets		560 72
Total		$1,564,978 29

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		75,000 00
Surplus fund		212,500 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		23,036 93
Individual Deposits subject to check	$850,897 08	
Time certificates of deposit	228,995 05	
Saving Fund Deposit	654,227 59	
Deposits, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania	20,000 000	
Deposits, U. S. Postal Savings	221 20	
Certified Checks	4,719 00	
Cashier's Checks outstanding	901.10	1,254,481 08
Dividends unpaid		6 00
Total		$1,564,978 29

State of Pennsylvania, County of Washington, ss:

I, KERFOOT W. DALY, Cashier of the above named Company do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

KERFOOT W. DALY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of November 1911.

MINNIE B. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

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"For that don't feel like work feeling, with which," said Mr. Glimmerton, "I fancy we are all of us more or less likely to be afflicted, I would in some cases prescribe rest, though in most cases no doubt the proper prescription would be exertion.

"The trouble with the rest cure is that it is like taking opiates; the more you take the more you want. The rest habit is easy to acquire and hard to break.

"The habit of exertion, on the contrary, is one that commonly we do not take to so kindly; it does not, as it were, spontaneously permeate us as the rest habit does; it may in fact require assiduous cultivation, and it takes quite a man to acquire this habit in a completely saturating and permanent form so that he is proof against attacks of the rest habit, which, if he has a trace of it left in him, is sure to develop on the slightest provocation.

"Exertion is the only real cure. It may be hard to take at first, but you'll come to like it. Persist and you'll find it vastly strengthening and then delightful; and then, while in taking the rest cure you are all the time paying money out, in taking this one you have money all the time coming in.

"Try work, continuous, steady, hard work. Once get the habit of work embedded in your system and you won't be troubled any more by that tired feeling."

The Collector.

The late Edwin A. Abbey had no sympathy with those American millionaires who pay $400,000 or $500,000 for a doubtful Rembrandt or an imputed Fragonard, while painters of genius in their own towns are starving for lack of orders.

Mr. Abbey at a dinner at his London residence in Tite street, said last year, apropos of the purchase by a New Yorker of a doubtful Titian at an inflated price:

"This type of man knows nothing about art. A man of this type, when Whistler was not yet famous, wanted his wife's portrait done.

"'How much will you charge me, Mr. Whistler,' he said, 'for a lifesize picture of the madam?'

"'My price,' said Whistler, 'will be $2,500.'

"The millionaire took up his hat and stick.

"'Why,' he snorted, turning to go, 'you expect to be paid for your work as if you had been dead 400 or 500 years!'"

Artificial Sponge.

An artificial sponge, the outcome of German ingenuity, is now to be had, according to the Scientific American. The process of making it consists principally in the action of zinc chloride on pure cellulose. This results in a pasty, viscous mass, which is mixed with coarsely grained rock salt.

Placed in a press mold armed with pins the mass is pierced through and through until it appears traversed by a multitude of tiny canals, like the pores of a natural sponge. The excess of salts is subsequently removed by prolonged washing in a weak alcoholic solution. The artificial sponge swells up with water but hardens on drying, just like its prototype; it is said to be eminently adapted for filtering water for sanitary or industrial uses and it can be employed for all the purposes that are usually assigned to the genuine article.

Natural Curiosity.

On the hills of Abbeville, S. C., was picked up a piece of quartz about the size of a thimble. It contains a small bead that shifts about and appears to be a drop of water.

Beauty Unadorned.

"A pretty girl can wear almost anything."

"Yes; or quite the contrary."—Judge

Vanity.

A real friendship with a vain woman lacks comfort and sincerity. Wound for a second her vanity and the friendship snaps. Many people wonder at the attraction of women who are undeniably plain, but it often has its root in the fact that they are lacking in vanity. They are not constantly absorbed in their own charms, so have time to admire those of other people, consequently they are seldom lacking in friends.

Vanity is not altogether an attribute of the grown-up. One sees it frequently developed to an alarming extent in young children. Nor is it a matter for amusement. Rather should every mother strive to uproot this tendency. Ridicule is one of the swiftest ways of extinguishing it.

Children should be taught not to attach importance to whatever physical charms they may possess. Beautiful eyes, a lovely mouth or a delightful nose should not be subjects of comment, but if commented upon at all should be lightly done, for no child should be started in life with the handicap of vanity.—Exchange.

Truth Eternal.

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PREPARING FOR POULTRY SHOW

Preparations are now being made by J. J. Cannon, secretary of the Canonsburg Poultry and Pet Stock Association, to send out premium lists for their annual show to be held in Canonsburg from January 1 to 6. From all indications, the entry list this year will be far larger than at any of their previous shows. The total number of entries last year was over 800 and it is expected that the 1000 mark will be passed this year. Inquiries for premium lists are being received from all parts of the county.

At the last show, about 50 cups were given to exhibitors as prizes but this year the display of trophies is expected to be larger than that of any show ever held in Western Pennsylvania. One of the members of the association has donated a cup valued at $100 for the largest number of points scored by an exhibitor having three or more competitors.

The show will be held in Beagle's Auditorium again this year and the freight service on the interurban line of the Pittsburg Railways Company makes this hall easy of acces to the visiting exhibitor, as the cars stop in front of the building.

No Room for Improvement.

It was about 1720, at Amsterdam, that Fahrenheit made his first thermometer, which has served as a model ever since.

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PENNSY EMPLOYES GET INSTRUCTION

That the Pennsylvania Railroad believes education and efficiency go hand in hand is indicated by the announcement that a train lighting instruction car has just been added to the Company's extensive educational facilities for employes. This will be sent to the different points along the lines where electrical forces are maintained, and by means of lectures and demonstrations the men will be given uniform instruction.

The apparatus installed in the new car consists of a 32-cell storage battery, a turbo-generator, a variable speed motor with necessary controlling apparatus for driving the axle devices and a number of axle generators with their regulating equipments. One end of the car has been partioned off and equipped as an office and sleeping quarters for the instructor.

With the instruction car in operation it is intended that all employes whose duties include car lighting shall be taught to care for and operate the various equipments, with the two-fold object of educating those interested and securing uniformity in their work.

MAKING RAIN WITH ROCKETS

Experiments Tried With Considerable Success on a Coffee Plantation in Southern India.

Experiments made to ascertain whether the discharge of explosives during cloudy weather produces rainfall are described in a letter from James Stanes.

"Some years ago," he says, "an experiment was tried in the Cuddapah district of southern India with considerable success. I am part owner of an estate in the Seramully hills, which is situated in a particularly dry zone For several seasons poor coffee crops withered away from lack of rain during July and August.

"When I was visiting the estate in July, 1905, I noticed that heavy clouds gathered every afternoon and I thought that if we had been in a position to fire explosive rockets from the highest peak of the hills, about 4,500 feet, a shower of rain might have been produced.

"I therefore arranged to have a supply of rockets kept on the estate and fired off every afternoon at the rate of one rocket every five minutes, but only when the condition of the atmosphere was such that heavy rain threatened on all sides.

"Whether rain has fallen in response to these explosives or not the fact remains that ever since we first tried the experiment we have been fortunate enough to catch sufficient moisture to enable the crops to survive the drought."

Firing into the clouds with the object of causing rain was practiced for several years in southern Germany, Switzerland and France, but seems to have been abandoned some time ago. The idea was to protect the vineyards and other cultivations from damage by hailstones, it being thought that by the discharge of large guns rain would fall and that the danger from hailstorms would be averted.—London Daily Mail.

Stare Fate in the Face.

Fortune never helps the man whose ourage fails.—Sophocles.

ROSSINI FAMOUS AS A WIT

Some of the Whimsicalities With Which the Great Composer Made Life Jollier.

Rossini's witticisms bubbled forth at all times and under all circumstances, says Musical Opinion. On one occasion a gentleman called upon him to enlist his aid in procuring for him an engagement at the opera. He was a drummer and had taken the precaution to bring his instrument. Rossini said he would hear him "play," and it was agreed that he should show off in the overture to "Semiramide."

Now, the very first bar of the overture contained a tremolo for the drum, and when this had been performed the player remarked, "Now I have a rest of 78 bars—these, of course, I will skip." This was too good a chance to be lost. "O, no," said the composer, "by all means count the 78 bars; I particularly want to hear those." Rossini's whimsicality extended even to his birthday. Having been born on February 29, in leap year, he had, of course, a birthday once in four years, and when he was seventy-two he facetiously invited his friends to celebrate his eighteenth birthday.

The late Sir Arthur Sullivan made his acquaintance in Paris. One morning, when Sullivan called to see him, he found him trying over a small piece of music. "What is that?" asked Sullivan. "It's my dog's birthday," replied, very seriously, "and I write a little piece for him every year."

When Rossini was once rehearsing one of his operas in a small theater in Italy he noticed that the horn was out of tune. "Who is that playing the horn in such an unholy way?" he demanded. "It is I," said a tremulous voice. "Ah, it is you, is it? Well, go right home." It was his own father!

Jim's Wife.

After the report had been current for a week that Jim's wife, whom Jim had met and married and was still secluding in Chicago, was ugly as sin, a friend who had Jim's interests at heart, ran down the author of the rumor with the intention of making her retract.

"How do you know she is ugly?" he asked. "Have you ever seen her?"

"No," said the experienced gossip. "I never have, neither have I seen her picture, nor anybody who has seen either her or her picture, but I know she is ugly, because I had it straight from a person who lives in Chicago that when she ordered a dozen pictures taken just a while before the wedding the photographer made her pay in advance, and a photographer never does that unless the subject is so ugly that she is apt to be discouraged when she sees the pictures and refuse to pay for them on the ground that he hasn't done good work. If you don't believe me ask any photographer."

But Jim's champion let the matter drop.—New York Times.

Life of the Grapevine.

There are some who contend that the life of the grapevine is longer than that of the oak. It is rare that a wild grapevine is found that has died of old age. Pliny mentions a vine 600 years old. There is a vine at Hampton Court, England, planted in 1769, while here in America there is a wild grapevine on the shores of Mobile Bay, within a mile of Daphne, Ala., commonly known as the "General Jackson" vine, more than 6 feet in circumference at its base. There is a grapevine in Carpenteria, Cal., under which more than eight hundred persons may stand. Its trunk is eight feet in diameter at the base and it has borne as high as ten tons of fruit. It is said that this vine was planted in 1842.

Retaining Self-Respect.

There is a beautiful harmony between the good of the state and the moral freedom and dignity of the individual. Were these interests in any case discordant, were an individual ever called to serve his country by acts debasing his own mind, he ought not to waver for a moment as to the good which he should prefer. His soul he must never stain or enslave. From poverty, pain, the rack, the gibbet, he should not recoil; but for no good of others ought he to part with self-control or violate the inward law. —W. E. Channing.

Ancient Roman Long Branch.

The sea coast of Laurentum may have been in favor with the fashionable and the wealthy for a brief space of time under Augustus and his immediate successors, but was given up quite soon to parvenues and merchants and retired officers, and the same set of noisy people who haunt at the present day the popular watering places of the world. To make the analogy more striking, an inscription has been found at La Capocotta singing the praises of a wealthy Jew, and revealing the fact that a synagogue had been built at Ostia for the use of the Semitic "villeggianti" on the neighboring coast.

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"EIGHTS" ARE THEIR HOODOOS

Postal Clerks Say Stamps of That Denomination Cause Them Much Financial Loss.

When a meek little man stepped up to the stamp window in a branch office and asked for an eight cent stamp he caused as much consternation as if he had demanded "your money or your life."

All the clerks came to the window to take a look at him. They muttered to one another and made strange and fantastic signs, crossed their fingers, knocked on wood and did various other things that are supposed to drive away evil spirits.

"We're just out of eight cent stamps," a clerk finally stammered. "Got lots of two and ones."

"Well, gimme a five and a three," said the meek little man, upon receiving which he paid for them and departed.

"What's the matter with the eights?" queried an inquisitive spectator.

The stamp clerk was still too nervous to answer, but one of the others said, with a smile:

"Eights are hoodoos. None of the small offices handle them if they can help it. It's this way: They are just a wee shade different in color from the ones and it is no infrequent thing for a stamp clerk in a hurry to hand out a lot of eights when ones are asked and paid for. It always costs him seven cents a stamp when he does it. The clerk here the other day, during the rush hour, when the offices are closing, was called upon for a dollar's worth of ones. He handed out a hundred eights instead. Cost him seven dollars. Then he got rid of all the rest of the eights and now he won't have anything to do with eights. Even says 'eaten' instead of 'ate.'"

Cannon Balls of Stone and Iron.

Stone bullets were used until the year 1514 when they were supplanted by iron. It was near the close of the sixteenth century before leaden bullets were generally adopted. Stone cannon balls are yet used in some of the eastern countries.

Almost the Limit.

"You say she worries herself unnecessarily over trifling things?" said one of two women who were speaking about the ways of another. "Worries?" was the answer. "Why, she's more trouble to herself than a family of children!"

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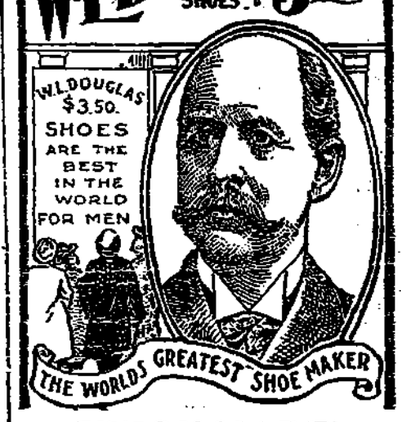

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Fancy table pears, 3 lb. can, 2 for	.25
3 lb. can syrup	.10
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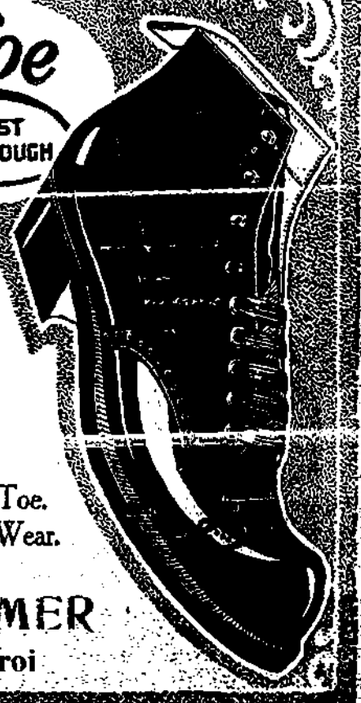

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